

## House Resolution No. 2841

**Whereas**, it is with tremendous pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause in their diverse legislative endeavors in order to convey a warm welcome to an esteemed visitor to the Show-Me State; and

**Whereas**, Travis Plumlee of Conway, Arkansas, has attained considerable distinction as a minister, college professor, and public speaker who earned Bachelor's, Master's, and Doctoral degrees from schools in Texas and Louisiana and who performed post-graduate research at the University of Texas Medical School in Houston and at the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor; and

**Whereas**, Travis Plumlee is held in high esteem, known locally as the King of Conway; and

**Whereas**, the founder of Family Ark Ministries, Travis Plumlee will be the featured speaker at the Missouri House of Representatives Prayer Breakfast on May 8, 2008; and

**Whereas**, Travis Plumlee has spent his life devoted to the amelioration of the human condition through his service and teaching of others and has served as a fulcrum of God for others; and

**Whereas**, Travis Plumlee is national board certified as a cognitive behavioral therapist, addictions specialist, and domestic violence therapist; is a licensed master social worker and chemical dependency specialist; and is a certified AIDS counselor; and

**Whereas**, no stranger to honors and accolades, Travis Plumlee is the recipient of a Dr. Frist Humanitarian Award, the National AIDS Foundation Agape Award, a Benson Award for Improvement of Healthcare, and a Quality of Life award and is a gubernatorial Goodwill Ambassador in the state of Texas for his pioneering work in the field of family violence and women's issues; and

**Whereas**, Travis Plumlee is the namesake of the Travis Plumlee Center for Women and Children in Texas and is the author of numerous videos, audiotapes, books, and syndicated weekly articles on the family; and

**Whereas**, Travis Plumlee has devoted his life to the inculcation of young men on how to be men of integrity; and

**Whereas**, the beloved husband of Sharon, Travis Plumlee is the loving father of Austin and Alison:

**Now, therefore, be it resolved** that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the personal and professional accomplishments garnered down through the years by Travis Plumlee as a minister and public speaker and to convey to him this legislative body's most heartfelt appreciation of his activities as the featured speaker at the Missouri House of Representatives Prayer Breakfast on May 8, 2008; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for presentation to Travis Plumlee of Conway, Arkansas.

Offered by \_\_\_\_\_  
Representative Ward Franz  
District No. 151

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 2841, adopted May 7, 2008.

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Rod Jetton, Speaker